



# NEWSLETTER

## 10<sup>th</sup> December 2021

### Attendance:

Overall school attendance this week is 92.7%.

Congratulations to year 4 who are the winners this week with 95.4%!  
Unfortunately, as this is below 98%, no class will have their own clothes day next week.

### Stars of the Week:



Arya

Hugo and Phaebion

Chrisab and Lena

Riaz and Savannah

Edy and Zoe

Ricky and Leo

Arthur and Sara

Summer and Jazim



### Safeguarding:

If you are concerned about the safety or wellbeing of a child please contact the NSPCC on their helpline: [0808 800 5000](tel:08088005000) or email [help@nspcc.org.uk](mailto:help@nspcc.org.uk)

If you believe that a child is in immediate danger call 999. Our school safeguarding leaders can be contacted by emailing [stillman@templegroveacademy.com](mailto:stillman@templegroveacademy.com) or telephoning 07835946414 / 07943276854

### A Message from the School Senior Leadership Team:

Dear Parents/Carers,

It is almost Christmas and school has certainly felt festive this week!

Our Christmas dinner on Wednesday was lovely and it definitely went down well with the children too.

In addition to our lunch, all classes have been practising carols in their classrooms which is lovely to hear when walking around the school. Children have also been making baubles. Next week parents will have the opportunity to purchase their child/ren's bauble and the money raised will go to a local charity.

Next Friday, each class will have a party in the morning before finishing school for the holidays at 1pm. The school will provide the food for this so there is no need for parents to send anything in.

Have a lovely weekend,

Have a lovely weekend,  
TGA Senior Leadership Team

## Free Trial Session and £40 discount at Perform

Popular children's drama and dance school Perform is offering a Free Trial Session and a **special introductory discount of £40 for members of Temple Grove Academy** if they sign up by Wednesday 26th January. Parents should quote SHEW260122 when they book their free session by going to [perform.org.uk/try](http://perform.org.uk/try) or calling 020 7255 9120.

You can find out more about the classes at [perform.org.uk/try](http://perform.org.uk/try). Alternatively, pdf flyers can be downloaded from [here](#).

The nearest classes to Temple Grove Academy are as follows (please click for a map and further details):

**Perform Tunbridge Wells (Drama for 4-7s)**  
(1.5 miles)  
**Saturdays at 9.30am and 11.15am**

Christ Church Centre  
High Street,  
TN1 1UT

**Perform Tunbridge Wells (Drama for 7-12s)**  
(1.5 miles)  
**Saturdays at 2pm**

Christ Church Centre  
High Street,  
TN1 1UT

**Perform Langton Green (Drama for 4-7s)**  
(3.6 miles)  
**Mondays at 4pm**

Langton Green Village Hall  
Speldhurst Road,  
TN3 0JJ

**Perform Langton Green (Drama for 7-12s)**  
(3.6 miles)  
**Mondays at 5.05pm**

Langton Green Village Hall  
Speldhurst Road,  
TN3 0JJ

**Perform Tonbridge (Drama for 4-7s)**  
(5.5 miles)  
**Tuesdays at 4pm**

St John's Church Centre  
Hildenborough,  
TN11 9HT

### Forest School:

There will be two Forest School sessions next week as follows:

Tuesday: Year 1  
Wednesday: Reception

### Police Cadets:

Our year 6 Police Cadets went on a litter picking outing on Wednesday as part of their social action project. They conducted this at the local park (pictures below). Next week they will have a visit from the Chief Inspector which the children are very much looking forward to.



### Christmas Carols

Next Thursday, each class will individually sing Christmas carols in the school hall. These will be recording and uploading to Class Dojo pages so parents can view.

### Asda Donation of Christmas Goodies Boxes:

These will be rewarded as part of our homework raffle next week. Three children from each class will be drawn and the lucky children will receive one of the boxes. The remaining boxes will be prizes in the whole school raffle, for which tickets are currently on sale in the school playground.

### Reception Class:

We are delighted to have made two appointments in Reception class. Mrs Liz Hawkins, will join us one day a week and Mr Matthew Harley four days a week. We are very much looking forward to welcoming them to the TGA team.

### Year 5 and 6 Boys' Football

On Wednesday, our school football team played their second match of the season – their first league game – against St. Peter's Primary School over in Hawkenbury. The boys lost the game 2-0 but played terrifically well and represented the school impeccably. With a little bit more confidence, we are sure that the results will come. Man of the Match for this game was Jamie Tompsett for excellent composure and defensive play throughout the match.